## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of assembling a printhead module for a printhead assembly, the method comprising the steps of:

mounting at least two printhead integrated circuits to an upper surface of a respective one of at least one—two fluid distribution membermembers, the at least two printhead integrated circuits each having nozzles formed therein for printing fluid onto the surface of print media; and

fixedly attaching with an adhesive material a lower surface of the at least one-fluid distribution member members onto an upper surface of a support member having fluid delivery channels for the nozzles of the at least two printhead integrated circuits with curable resin adhesive selectively deposited about the fluid delivery channels of the support member and associated apertures of the fluid distribution members leading to the nozzles, so as to form a unitary arrangement of the support member, the at least two printhead integrated circuits and the at least one-fluid distribution members; and

curing the curable resin adhesive to seal the selective attachment of the fluid distribution and support members.

2. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 1, further comprising the step of adhering an electrical connector to a section of the upper surface of the at least one-fluid distribution member-members for connecting electrical signals to the at least two respective printhead integrated circuits.

## 3. (Cancelled)

- 4. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 2 claim 1, wherein the attaching step further includes the step of curing the curable resin so as to fix the at least one fluid distribution member to the support memberis an epoxy resin.
- 5. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaim 2 claim 1, wherein the attaching step includes the step of selectively depositing the curable resin about apertures on the upper surface of the support member which extend to the fluid delivery channels.

6. (Currently Amended) A method according to <u>claim 3 claim 5</u>, wherein the attaching step further includes the step of curing the curable resin <u>is performed</u> so as to form sealing gaskets about the apertures of the support member and associated apertures of the <u>at least</u> one-fluid distribution <u>member members</u>.